

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Attorney Docket No.: 4359.11WOUS

Healey et al. Confirmation No.: 2937

Application No.: 10/594,433 Examiner: Omer S. Mian

Filed: September 26, 2006 Group Art Unit: 2461

For: EVALUATING THE POSITION OF A DISTURBANCE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), an extension of time of one (1) month (from December 7, 2010 to January 7, 2011) within which to respond to the Office Action dated September 7, 2010, is requested. Electronic payment is submitted by credit card to cover the extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

Respectfully submitted,



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Please grant any extension of time necessary for entry; charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.